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FOR BOOTING THE OPERATING  
ENVIRONMENT OF AN  
AUTONOMOUS SUBSYSTEM IN A  
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WITHOUT INVOLVEMENT OF THE  
MAIN OPERATING SYSTEM

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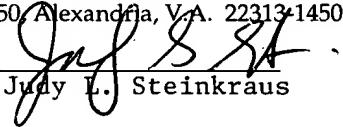
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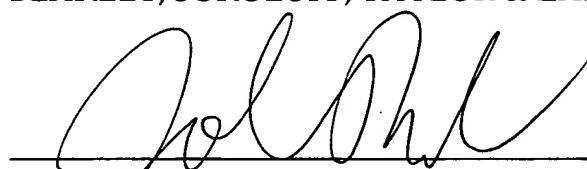
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